Missed pickup and other issues:

- By phone: 866-797-9018 Waste
 Management Customer Experience Center
 The recording will prompt you to provide an account number, which Battle Creek neighbors do not have. Please stay on the line for a moment until you hear a menu.
- Online: home.wm.com/battle-creek
 Report missed pickups, request bulk pickup, and
 report a damaged Waste Management cart using
 online web forms.

Special services:

For information on yard waste pickup, spring/fall cleanup, fresh Christmas tree pickup and more, visit battlecreekmi.gov/recycling.

For information on special collection events, like electronics and Styrofoam, and additional recycling drop-off centers in Calhoun County, visit calhouncountyrecycling.com.

Recycling tips:

Place your cart at the curb no later than 6 a.m. on your service day, and remove it from the curb no later than 9 a.m. the day after service.

Make sure your items are clean and dry before putting them in your cart.

No plastic bags in your recycling cart, please.

Keep all items loose in your recycling cart, and out of plastic or paper bags.

When in doubt, throw it out. If you are not 100 percent sure an item can be recycled in Battle Creek, throw it in the trash. This eliminates the possibility of contaminating your entire cart.

Additional recycling options:

Drop-off centers —

Waste Management drop-off center 4547 Wayne Road, Springfield, MI 49037

Calhoun County Recycling Centers in Albion and Marshall; get more information at: calhouncountyrecycling.com 269-969-6395

Additional cart rental —

Neighbors can rent an additional recycling cart from Waste Management. Please call 866-797-9018 or visit home.wm.com/battle-creek to add a cart. Prices start at \$3.25 per month.

Additional resources:

home.wm.com/battle-creek battlecreekmi.gov/recycling

To view a full list of accepted and unaccepted items, please see the websites above. Visit **recycleoftenrecycleright.com** for more helpful information on recycling, and stopping contamination.







Please read!

Important information about the City of Battle Creek recycling program!

Waste Management is the trash, recycling, and yard waste service provider for the City of Battle Creek.



Information about the new schedule:

Effective May 6, 2019, the City of Battle Creek will switch to every-other-week recycling pickup.

Trash will remain a weekly service.

Neighbors can access the schedule, map, and more information at **battlecreekmi.gov/recycling**.

Pick up a **paper map and schedule** at City Hall, 10 N. Division St., 269-966-3366; or at the Department of Public Works, 150 S. Kendall St., 269-966-3343.





Always recycle:



Plastic Bottles & Containers



Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard



Food & Beverage



Food & Beverage Cartons



Paper



Glass Bottles & Containers

Do NOT include in your mixed recycling bin:



NO Food Waste (Compost instead!)



NO Plastic Bags & Film (Find a recycling site at plasticfilmrecycling.org)



NO Foam Cups & Containers (Check Earth911.org for options.)

Common contaminants Do not recycle!

Plastic bags Plastic food wrappers Plastic without numbers Greasy food containers/to-go lids Food and liquid waste Yard waste Construction debris Scrap metal Hazardous waste Electronics Cables and batteries Diapers Tissue Bio-hazardous waste Light bulbs Ceramics Dishes and mirrors Hoses Toys Clothes and shoes Tools Plastic straws Styrofoam Holiday decorations

Hardcover books



NO Needles

(Keep medical waste out of recycling. Place in safe disposal containers like Waste Management's MedWaste Tracker® box.)

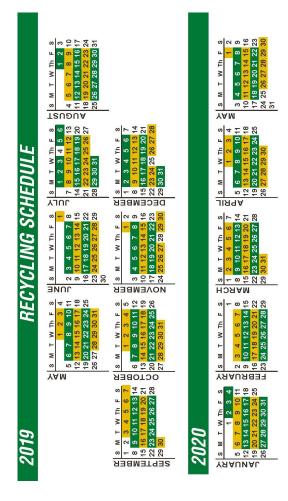
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For assistance in another language, please contact the Department of Public Works at 269-966-3343. The city will provide interpretation at no cost to the caller.

Por consultas o asistencia en español, por favor comuníquese con el Departamento de Obras Públicas al 269.966.3343. Se le conseguirá un intérprete de forma gratuita.

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Please save this calendar to keep track of your recycling schedule.



To see the corresponding maps to the upcoming recycling schedule, please visit **battlecreekmi.gov/recycling** or pick up a paper brochure at City Hall, 10 N. Division St., or the Department of Public Works, 150 S. Kendall St.

You will keep the same pickup day, Monday through Friday, but each of the five segments of the city will be split in two, creating every-otherweek recycling pickup for every customer.

Need more information? Call Waste Management at 866-797-9018.